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In re Applicant:

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For: Cosmetic Repair Using Cartilage
Producing Cells and Medical
Implants Coated Therewith

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ELECTION

Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office
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Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office
Restriction Action mailed November 5, 2002, which response is being made on or
before December 5, 2002.

Applicants hereby elect Group I, namely Claims 1 – 8, drawn to a method
for cosmetically repairing a skin contour.

Applicants reserve the right to file, at a later date, additional divisional
applications claiming priority from the present application which are directed to any
one or more of the non-elected Groups.

Respectfully submitted,


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